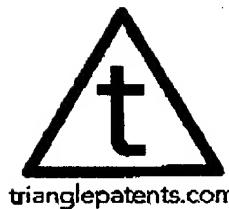


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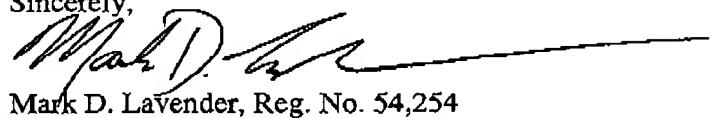
Dear Examiner LY:

On November 7, 2007, we submitted a Response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on June 7, 2007. At this time, we are also submitting a conditional request for an interview. Our experience has shown that with this particular technology, examiners have found it helpful to see a live demonstration of the disclosed invention in order to best illustrate the invention's characteristics, and to clarify its differentiations from the prior art.

We believe that the amendments and supporting remarks made in the recently submitted Response put the currently pending claims in condition for allowance; however, if helpful we would like to schedule a live interview to present a live demonstration of the Applicant's invention.

Please contact our office at your earliest convenience to confirm whether a live interview may be helpful to further your examination of this application. We respectfully submit this request and look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,



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